Missing personal files of E.I.C. officers

1094. SHRI S. S AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that personal files of various responsible officers of Export Inspection Council are missing;

(b) whether these personal files have been misplaced because those officers managed to get employment on the basis of fake educational certificates; and

(c) whether any inquiry has been conducted by Government into the matter; if so, the results thereof and what action Government propose to take on the basis thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. R. DAS MUNSHI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Export of Railway Engines and coaches

1095. SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of railway engines and coaches exported during the last three years alongwith the names of countries to which the same were exported;

(b) the amount of foreign exchange earned thereby during the above period;

(c) whether it is a fact that there is a great demand for Indian engines/coaches in foreign countries; and

(d) if so, the number of engines/coaches likely to be exported during the current financial year and next financial year and the names of countries to which export is likely to be made?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. R. DAS MUNSHI): (a) and (b) A statement is attached. (*See below*).

(c) and (d) Indian locomotives and coaches have good acceptance in a number of countries. In view of the intense competition in the world market, it is not feasible to determine the exact number of engines and coaches that would be exported in the current and next financial year. Intensive marketing efforts are being made by the projects and Equipment Corporation to secure orders and to develop new markets.

Statement

Year	Locomotives	Coaches	Country	Value (Rs./Lakhs)
1	2	3	4	5
1984-85	15 Nos. & spares	..	Vietnam	1380·00
	..	9 nos. & spares	Bangladesh	105·48
	..	15 nos. & spares	Mozambique	158·40
				1643·88

1	2	3	4	5
1985-86	4 nos. and spares	..	NTPC, Farakka-I, India *	436·50
	1 no.	..	NTPC, Korbe-II India *	105·00
	..	87 under-frames for coaches	Bangladesh	44·22
				585·72
1986-87	1 no. and spares	..	NTPC, Korba-II India *	128·00
	2 nos. and spares	..	NTPC, Ramagundam-II India	280·57
	1 no. and spares	..	NTPC, Singrauli-II, India *	118·09
	..	47 nos.	Bangladesh	627·36
				1154·02

*These are World Bank financed projects secured against international competition, and are deemed exports.

Detection of aliens in Assam

1096. SHRI KALPNATH RAI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any programme has been drawn up and is under implementation to detect aliens in Assam;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof and what progress has been made so far in this direction; and

(c) whether Government of Assam recently suggested any new procedure for such detection process?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI): (a) and (b) The State Government of Assam has been requested to speed up the work relating to detection of foreigners/illegal migrants in pursuance of the Assam Accord.

As a result of the various steps taken in this regard, the State Government of Assam have given a push to the work of detection of post 24th March, 1971 illegal migrants as well as to the detection of foreigners who came between 1-1-1986 to 24.3.1971.

According to the State Government of Assam out of 292995 cases taken up for investigation is respect of 1966—71 batch of entrants, 102376 cases have been investigated upto May, 1987. As regards detection of post-24th March, 1971 illegal migrants, out of 61305 enquiries taken up for investigation 38561 enquiries have been completed upto the end of May, 1987.

(c) No, Sir. However, some amendments to the Illegal Migrants (Determination by Tribunals) Act, 1983 have been suggested.